

The Investigative Committee of the Georgia Board of Nursing met Thursday, July 9, 2015 via conference call at the Professional Licensing Boards Division of the Secretary of State located at 237 Coliseum Drive, Macon, Georgia 31217.

## **THURSDAY, JULY 9, 2015**

### **MEMBERS PRESENT**

Tina Fletcher, LPN  
Dellarie Shilling, RN, DNP, FNP-BC

### **STAFF PRESENT**

Amelia Baker, JD, Assistant Attorney General  
Janet Freeman, RN, BSN, Nursing Consultant - Legal/Discipline  
Edye Tillman-Johnson, RN, BSN, Nursing Consultant – Legal/Discipline

Shilling called the meeting to order at 4:00 p.m. on Thursday, July 9, 2015.

### **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

Fletcher moved, Shilling seconded and the Committee voted to enter into **Executive Session** in accordance with O.C.G.A. §§ 43-1-2(k); 43-1-19(h), 43-26-5(c) and 43-26-11, to deliberate on applications and enforcement matters and to receive information on applications, investigative reports and pending cases. The motion passed unanimously.

At the conclusion of the Executive Session on Thursday, July 9, 2015 Shilling declared the meeting to be “open” pursuant to the Open and Public Meeting Act, O.C.G.A. §§ 50-14-1 et seq. No votes were taken during executive session.

### **INVESTIGATIVE COMMITTEE CASES**

(LPNI = Licensed Practical Nurse Investigative Case Number) (RNI=Registered Nurse Investigative Case Number)

Fletcher moved to present the following recommendations to the Board.

**RNI150830** – Refer to the Attorney General’s office for a public consent order to include a fine of \$500 for unprofessional conduct and courses in Ethics and Professional Accountability.

**RNI150992** – Refer to the Attorney General’s office for a public consent order to include one (1) year probation, quarterly reports (personal, employer), a fine of \$500 for unprofessional conduct and courses in Professional Accountability.

**RNI150724** – Close the case.

**RNI140627** – Voluntary surrender.

**RNI150832** – Refer to the Attorney General’s office for an expedited outpatient mental physical examination from a Board approved evaluator. Results are to be reviewed by the Investigative Committee and the Legal/Discipline Nurse Consultant.

**RNI151286** - Refer to the Attorney General’s office for an expedited outpatient mental physical examination from a Board approved evaluator. Results are to be reviewed by the Investigative Committee and the Legal/Discipline Nurse Consultant.

**LPNI150488** – Refer to the Attorney General’s office for an expedited outpatient mental physical examination from a Board approved evaluator. Results are to be reviewed by the Investigative Committee and the Legal/Discipline Nurse Consultant.

**RNI120262** – Approve the request for an early termination.

**RNI130011** - Refer to the Attorney General’s office for an indefinite suspension or voluntary surrender.

**RNI130205** – Deny the petition to lift the suspension. May petition again with a complete outpatient mental physical examination from a Board approved evaluator.

**RNI150172** – Deny the request to lift. Licensee may reapply after twenty-four (24) months of documented sobriety, completion of formal substance abuse program and completion of an outpatient mental physical examination from a Board approved evaluator within thirty (30) days of the application.

**RNI110937** – Deny the petition.

**LPN150561** – Refer to Investigations.

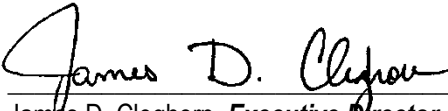
**RNI150766** – Refer to the Attorney General's office for a public consent order to include five (5) years probation, two (2) years narcotic restrictions, quarterly reports (personal, employer, aftercare) and a fine of \$500 for unprofessional conduct.

**RNI111070** – Deny the request.

**LPN150576** – Refer to the Attorney General's office for an outpatient mental physical examination from a Board approved evaluator. Results are to be reviewed by the Investigative Committee and the Legal/Discipline Nurse Consultant.

Shilling seconded the motion and it carried unanimously.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned Thursday, July 9, 2015 at 4:31 p.m.

  
James D. Cleghorn, **Executive Director**

Approved on